

EXHIBIT B

LSI Logic Intellectual Property Law Department Memo

Date: Wednesday, November 05, 2003

LSI Docket Number: 99-222

Title : Method and Apparatus for Reducing Block Related Artifacts in Video

Subject: Patent - 99-222 - - - Reminder - to respond to 1st non-final Office Action - 1 month left - Method and Apparatus for Reducing Block Related Artifacts in Video

THIS IS NOT AN AUTHORIZATION TO PREPARE A RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION. A

separate communication authorizing you to prepare a response should have been sent to you.

If you have NOT received such a communication, the LSI Attorney responsible for this case has not yet decided on the future course of action on this docket.

If you have received an authorization, please note the deadline for completing this task.

LSI Attorney : [REDACTED]

LSI Paralegal : [REDACTED]

LSI Vice President : [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] - Disclosed in brainstorming session - Title may change....

1999/08/20 - Log - Sent reminder to Inventor(s) - Please note that we are awaiting

1999/08/23 - Commn. from Inventor - Received - Thank you for responding. We

1999/09/01 - Log - Sent reminder to Paralegal - Received invention disclosures?

1999/09/02 - Disclosure - Received from Inventor(s)

1999/09/02 - Disclosure - Received from Attorney with 1st review

1999/09/07 - Award - Disclosure

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1999/09/08 - Disclosure - Sent to Reviewer

1999/09/20 - Commn. from Liaison - Received - E-mail from Reviewer:

1999/09/27 - Disclosure - Sent to Attorney for final review

1999/09/27 - Disclosure - Received from Reviewer - Approved

1999/09/29 - Disclosure - Received from Attorney with final review

1999/09/30 - Authorized preparation of 'first filed' application - I will be sending a

1999/11/12 - Received 1st Draft

1999/12/09 - Received Final Draft

1999/12/14 - Abstract - ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

1999/12/14 - Filed w/PTO with formals

1999/12/28 - Award - Filing

2000/02/02 - Received Filing Receipt

2000/03/30 - Received Recorded Assignment

2001/01/04 - Foreign Filing Decision made - To late to pursue foreign filing...

2001/08/17 - Filed Status Inquiry

2001/08/29 - Commn. from PTO - Received - Status Request Postcard - Date

2001/09/12 - Commn. from PTO - Received - Status Letter Reply -

2003/07/24 - Filed Status Inquiry

2003/09/08 - Commn. from PTO - Received - Status Letter Reply -

2003/09/10 - Received notification of 1st Non Final Office Action - Attachment:

2003/09/10 - Link Patent Application

2003/09/10 - IDS not required

2003/09/10 - Authorized 1st Non Final Office Action Response

2003/09/10 - Link Assignment event

2003/09/10 - Log - Emailed quicknote - TO : - Outside Counsel - [REDACTED]

2003/10/05 - Due Date - to file response to 1st Non Final OA - 2 months left

2003/11/05 - Due Date - to file response to 1st Non Final OA - 1 month left

2003/12/05 - Due Date - to file response to 1st Non Final Office Action

2003/12/05 - Response to 1st non final Office Action to be filed by

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